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Mr. Bryan Speaks to 1500 People
at Livoli on the Hudson, in
New York.

He said: "Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen: When our party at Chicago wrote the platform which it did, we knew that it would offend some people. No party can take a plain, strong, and emphatic position upon any question without offending somebody. We declared in the platform what we believed to be right; we described the policies we believed were the best for the American people, and we knew that it would alienate some. Let me read one of the planks of that platform:

"We are opposed to the issuing of interest-bearing bonds of the United States in time of peace, and condemn the trafficking with banking syndicates, which, in exchange for bonds and at an enormous profit to themselves, supply the Federal Treasury with gold to maintain the policy of gold monomania."

SEEMED TO SUIT 'EM.

"That is one of the planks [Voices in the crowd, "It is a good one!"] that was not put in there to attract the love of those who have been growing rich out of the Government's extremities. [Applause.] We did not expect those who have a passageway from the Federal Treasury to their offices to join us in closing up the passage. We did not expect those who are making a profit out of the gold standard and out of the embarrassment it brings to the Treasury, we did not expect them to join with us in putting an end to the gold standard. Why, if we had expected it we would have expected in the face of all the history of the past. Do you remember that the good book states that a man named Demetrius complained of the preaching of the gospel? Why, he says, it

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in which we are engaged. We are making images for the worship of Diana, and these people say that they are not gods that are made with hands. But Demetrius was like men who have lived since his day. When he made up his mind that the preaching of the gospel interfered with his business he didn't go out and say to the world: "Our business is being injured and we are mad." What did he say? He said: "Great is Diana of the Ephesians." [Applause.]

"We have some to-day who are much like Demetrius. They know that the restoration of bimetallism destroys the business in which they have been engaged. But when they make public speeches they do not say that the Democratic party is wrong, because it interferes with their business. What do they say? They say: 'Great is sound money'; 'Great is an honest dollar.' [Applause.]

NOT WRITTEN TO PLEASE WALL STREET.

"I say this platform was not written to attract their votes. It was written because we want to destroy the business in which they are engaged. But my friends, if those who have made a profit out of the Government's financial policy array themselves against the Democratic party may we not expect those who believe we are right to come to our rescue and fill up the ranks that are being depleted by their desertion?" [Applause.]

"If we must part company with those who believe in a Government of syndicates, by syndicates and for syndicates, may we not appear with confidence to those who believe that a Government of the people, by the people and for the people should not perish from the earth?" [Applause.]

"If these men who pride themselves upon their prominence in the business world, and who glory in the title of business men, are going to make a business out of politics, are going to use their ballots to increase their income, I beg you to consider whether the great toiling masses of this nation have not a right to make a business out of politics and protest

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their homes and families from disaster.

—[Applause.]

The founders of our government never foresaw that the time would come when there would be only a few people in this country who were competent to settle

GREAT PUBLIC QUESTIONS.

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We Stand Alone.

Apropos to the discussion which just now so fiercely rages as to the influence of Great Britain upon the currency legislation of this and other countries, the following figures of Professor Mulhall, the eminent English statistician, showing the comparative wealth of nations, are of interest:

They explode the theory so commonly held, that England alone is the richest nation. Great Britain, including colonies, doubtless is, but in the world's fluance that country's colonies do not count for much. These figures represent the tangible property of the nations, including land, houses and all kinds of personal property:

United States.....	\$64,120,000,000
Great Britain.....	47,000,000,000
France.....	42,900,000,000
Germany.....	31,185,000,000
Russia.....	25,415,000,000
Austria.....	19,375,000,000
Italy.....	14,315,000,000
Spain.....	12,850,000,000
Australia.....	8,855,000,000
Bulgaria.....	5,935,000,000
Holland.....	4,900,000,000
Canada.....	4,180,000,000
Sweden.....	3,614,000,000
Romania.....	3,180,000,000
Argentina.....	2,545,000,000

The first step in the formation of this nation of ours, which in 120 years has become the richest nation in the world, was a declaration of independence. Nothing in all the world of finance and commerce is of sufficient value to tempt this people to recede from the high ground taken in that splendid declaration of the early fathers. Whatever we do with the currency should be done with an eye single to the good of the American people and regardless of any conditions which may have grown up in the monarchical Europe, where the people have forgotten that royalty and sham nobility may dwell in idleness and luxury—Farmers Voice.

I have berries, grapes and peaches a year old, fresh as when picked. I use the California Gold process, or not heat or seal the fruit, just put it up cold, keeps perfectly fresh and costs almost nothing; can put up a bushel in ten minutes. Last week I sold directions to over 120 families; anyone will pay a dollar for directions when they see the beautiful samples of fruit. As there are many people poor like myself, I consider it my duty to give my experience to such, and feel confident any one can make one or two hundred dollars round home in a few days. I will mail sample of fruit and complete directions to any of your readers, for eighteen two-cent stamps, which is only the actual cost of the samples, postage, etc., to me.

FRANCIS CASEY,
St. Louis, Mo.

Live not for selfish purposes. Consider the comfort and happiness of others.

JEWS INCREASING.

Russians are Flocking to the Once Holy City.

According to a lady who has lived in Jerusalem for forty years, the Jewish population of that city is increasing. "Twenty-two years ago," she says, "there were between 15,000 and 20,000 Jews in Jerusalem. In those days no houses were to be found outside the magnificent walls of the gates of which were closed at night. Since then many changes have taken place, the Hebrew population—mainly on account of the increase of the Jewish immigration from Russia—now stands at between 60,000 and 70,000. Whole streets of houses have been built outside the walls, on the site of the ancient suburban districts, which for hundreds of years have remained deserted. It is now, however, in Jerusalem that the Jews abound but throughout Palestine they are building farms and establishing themselves in a surprisingly rapid manner. In Jerusalem they form a present a larger community than either the Christian or the Mahometan."

A PROPHET

By David B. Hill Being Fulfilled.

We may prepare for the complete fulfillment of his prophecy on Nov. 3 when the nation's choice will be proclaimed in the election of Wm. J. Bryan and Arthur Sewall.

Mr. Hill's wisdom is enforced by facts since his declaration in a letter to "The Constitution" of Atlanta on Aug. 13, 1883, written from Albany N.Y. Mr. Hill's recent declarations and actions at Chicago are known to the country. In the following extract he voices the sentiment of millions of Democrats, Populists and Republicans. He says:

"I am in favor of bimetallism as the issue of the future. We should seek to keep that issue to the front—we should not strive for temporary success or compromise. We should be for free coinage under an international agreement, if it be possible to procure one—and for which every exertion should be made—and if not possible, then for independent bimetallism. This is the great goal for which we should strive. It cannot be done at once. Our friends must not be impatient. The unexpected action of India and the general sentiment of the moneyed classes comprise against us at this time. We do not believe in the Bland bill or any other measure which guarantees anything less than an unrestricted coinage for gold and silver alike, as pledged in the Democratic national platform. Let us prepare, not for present victory, but for victory upon that issue in 1896. The repudiation of the Sherman law will give the relief which is anticipated. It will aid business temporarily, but in a year times will be hard, and demand for permanent financial relief will be irresistible. We should continue to hold out free coinage as the goal which the country must ultimately reach. The triumph of monometallism will be but temporary."

Summer Care of Cows.

The cows are now at pasture and will need less care than they do at any other season. While summer grass is at its best the cows will probably need no other feed, but care should be taken that they have pure water and some place where they can lie in the shade during the heat of the day. It is really a good plan to run them into a darkened stable during hot weather through the middle of the day. In this way the cow will be kept more quiet and can digest her food better if out of doors and tormented by flies.

The cows that give most milk will need to be milked at noon as well as morning and night. The best breed modern cows have for generations been bred so as to increase milk production, and it has been made greater by frequent and thorough milking. There is at noon a painful pressure on the udder it should be relieved. The cow will give more and richer milk at three milkings than she will at two. But of course this can not be long continued without extra feed for the cow, as this increased milk product is largely made at her expense.

Pills do not Cure.

Pills do not cure Consumption. They only aggravate. Karl's Clover Root Tea gives perfect relief to the bowels. For sale by Thomas Kennedy.

GEORGIA

Will Follow Alabama in the Indorsement of Free Silver.

Mr. H. W. J. Ham, the noted Galvin (Ga.) journalist, orator and lecturer was in Cincinnati last week. He is known as the "Georgia Cracker," and established a popular paper bearing that name. He is in the lecture field most of the year. He went from Cincinnati to Russellsburg, Ohio, to lecture to the Teachers' Institute, and then on to Virginia. He has been a gold man, but will take the stump in September for Bryan and Sewall.

"Will Georgia do as well in November as Alabama did?" asked the Enquirer man.

"Twice as good," he replied. "We will roll up a majority of 80,000. Last year, with a full Populist vote in the field, we carried the State by 40,000, and we will get nearly all of their vote this year."

"What will you do with Watson?"

"Just let him alone. He doesn't come off the ticket we'll get nearly all of that vote anyhow. This is a great upheaval of the masses—a revolution and I expect to see it sweep the country. I was for sound money, as I construed it, but my party has spoken and I must follow the bugle note. There is nothing for us to gain from Republicans.

"Yes, the crops in Georgia are magnificent—the finest I ever saw."

"With the sugar and tobacco industries in their present conditions the outlook is gloomy, and Spain would do well to consider carefully any offer for the purchase of the island by the United States."

RELIEF FOR CUBA

Would Come the London Times Says. With Annexation.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—The Times tomorrow will publish a letter from Havana which gives the evidence of a high military officer that 25 per cent. of the Spanish troops in Cuba are on the sick list or are unfit for duty.

Discussing the desperate state of the sugar industry the letter says:

"Much misery on this account might be avoided if Cuba, by purchase or otherwise became a State of the American Union. Under a stable Government, a free market in the United States, and assisted by American capital, Cuba would easily produce a sufficient sugar supply for all the requirements of America. Under the present Spanish rule subject to the uncertainties of a republican Government by the Cubans, there would be little hope for the sugar industry. Free Cuba may be a good catch cry in the United States, but it does not command itself to the business people of Cuba."

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OHIO!

For Bryan and Sewall.

When we read articles in the daily press which we know are written by the representatives of some paper, we can but believe that it is worked and grooved to fit its policy, and hence we have some doubt as to its accuracy even though the conclusion follow from good reasoning. It is the man who has an ax to grind, who is a close observer, and is quick to put facts together and draw just conclusions, to whom we give credence. Our people know Mr. George H. Schorn, formerly of this office now of Washington City, a strict administrator. He is a man of few words, but always goes with eyes and ears open, and though slow to arrive at a conclusion, when he is once decided, he is fixed with strong fortifications and is not far from what is right. In a letter from him from Dayton, Ohio, the 17th inst., he says:

"Ohio is to go Democratic this fall. I have talked to quite a number of prominent Republicans here and they are all for Bryan and free silver."

Such are the opinions of the majority of unbiased men. Will Ohio go Democratic? We believe it will. What will New York do? If all signs do not fail the silver interest will grow until she, too, will be for Bryan and Sewall. The entire country is considering this money question with the silver as winner every time.

The Gold Bugs

Are attempting to frighten policy holders by the cry that in case of fire or death, they will get only one-half the face of their policies. Well, the insurance companies should be pleased with such a system because they would never pay more than half the value of a policy, anyway, if it was not for the dread of law.

The Eastern stockmen say he used to grid corn and other grain for pigs, but that years of experience have taught him that the most he got out of it was hard work.

The man who makes stock raising profitable during a period of low prices, says a writer, has the key to success, and will surely lead the procession in time of prosperity.

The Texas Stock and Farm Journal says: "There is more pleasure in riding or driving a horse than in riding a bicycle, and instead of going out of use, the horse will come more in demand because its comparative cheapness will enable many to own them and now what will be the sense in raising a class of horses which no one will want?"

The National Stockman says:

Thompson in caused principally by over-feeding and poor protection from the weather. If taken in hand when first noticed, it can in most cases be cured. The young pig must be compelled to take exercise, the shore given something to cool the system and clean out the bowels. It is a nice point in feeding to reach the greatest limit of pushing and escape this trouble. We have cured bad cases and had them do well afterwards.

Traveling Libraries.

The Canadian plan of traveling libraries, for the benefit of people in the rural districts, worked well in New York state that it is being tried in Michigan and Wisconsin with gratifying results, and is likely to spread throughout the country.

Mrs. Jas. J. Shackleford sold her fine pheasant mare to Lexington parties for \$300.00.

Easy To Figure.

How much money will cutting your fuel bill square in two this year save you? This is easy to figure. The result will show you at a glance the sum the



Majestic Steel Range

will save you the first year in fuel alone. The Range will save you much more in providing wholesome and digestible food for your table. This is a direct business proposition. It is a serious proposition; as serious as life is serious.

Take your pencil and figure: then ask us to prove all that we claim for the Majestic.

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Decide upon make of wheel you desire and order by number from catalogue of that maker. We will furnish you with catalogues of all the leading makers.

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Using the hair to grow bald heads and Beard on SMOTTLAERS.

It is a vegetable compound, entirely harmless.

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The only hair tonic that has ever been used to grow hair.

It invigorates the scalp, relaxes the hair, and in many cases restores hair to its former strength.

It cures baldness, dandruff, scrofulous diseases.

It is a super hair-dresser, improves skin and hair, and promotes rapid growth. Gives comfort to hair.

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SOLED BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

The Cape of Good Hope is taking
steps to organize a well equipped post-

President Cleveland has given out
that Earl Li Hung Chang will be the
guest of the Nation during his forth-
coming visit to this country.

Consumption Can Be Cured

by the use of Shiloh's Cure. This
great Cure is the only known
remedy for that terrible disease.

A third attempt has been made to
wreck the Cincinnati Southern near
Jesamine. Two little boys were ar-
rested on suspicion for the second at-
tempt but were released on examining
trial. The officers have no clue.

Argentine Bank, of Argentine, Kan-
na, has been closed by the Deputy
State Bank Examiner. It is remem-
bered that these times, when banks are
falling, that we are under the single
standard system. The liabilities are
about \$195,000 and \$122,500 is due to
depositors.

Mr. A. H. Brown, Cashier of the
First National Bank of Nicholasville,
died on the 13th inst., last summer.
He had a boil on his hand and in using a liquid fertilizer on
some flowers got it on the boil and his
entire system took up the poison, pro-
ducing death.

Nerves on Edge.
I was nervous, tired, irritable and
cross, Karhi's Clover Root Tea has
made me well and happy.

Miss E. B. WORDEN.
For sale by Thomas Kennedy.

The Populist State Central Committee
met in Lexington, Wednesday last.
Every district in the state was repre-
sented by delegate or proxy. The
committee was reorganized by electing
Jo. A. Parker, Louisville, Chair-
man, and W. P. March, of Lawrence-
burg, Secretary. They agreed that the
Democrats withdraw Seward from the
ticket but made no demands.

Chairman Bynum, of the Executive
committee of the so-called Gold Dem-
ocrats, claims that every state in the
Union will be represented except Ne-
vada, Idaho and Utah. We shall not
kick because the so-called Democrats
go out from the party and set up for
themselves, for if they do not vote for
another party, they, the greater part
of them, would vote the Republican
ticket. Let them go where their con-
science leads them.

The Gold Bugs are awfully stirred
up; they are afraid of Bryan's eloquence
and his close, unanswerable reasons
as well. They say he did not use a
single argument in his speech of accept-
ance, and yet they employ their best
orator at an enormous cost to answer
him. He has not said anything,
why get a man to answer a man when
he has failed in convincing argument.

It is a truth that Mr. Bryan has
made a great speech, and it is also a
truth that the arguments which he set
forth have not been answered.

In Washington city, prior to the
meeting of the Chicago Convention,
one of the job departments in which
there are 110 men employed, 108 were
for the gold standard and 2 for bi-
metalism. They were all acquainted
with Mr. Bryan, and immediately after
his nomination they stood 108 for
bimetallism and 2 for the gold stand-
ard. This is one of the many radical
changes. To-day Washington City is
for Bryan, and if the changes keep up,
they are likely to, every state in
the Union will go for the Democratic
ticket. Under the single standard we
are what we are, and since neither the
third party nor the Republicans offer
any change, the people, regardless of
party, will vote for the party of the
common people.

Headache and Neuralgia cured by
Dr. MILES' PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose."

BAPTIST MISSIONS

In Kentucky For the Past Twelve
Years.

The past year, with its great finan-
cial depression, has not been without
some blessed results. There seems to
be a growing interest toward having
the gospel preached in all parts of
the world. Special work has been done
in our own State; results have been
large and gratifying. Some figures in
Dr. Warder's annual report are
well worthy of our careful study. He
says we have given in the past twelve
years for state missions \$72,175.85;
for State Sunday schools, \$30,471.30;
total for State Board, \$105,647.15;
for District Colleges, \$105,237.13.
Total received for Kentucky Mission
work in 12 years, \$210,879.95; receiv-
ed for 12 years for Foreign Missions,
\$143,085.18; for home Missions, \$91,-
700.00. Total for all missions in 12
years, \$45,732.60.

Baptists in these years in our state
have been 17,830. Weak churches
have become strong, but our work in
the home and foreign fields is not
what it should be.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Our missionaries in our foreign
fields send us to the tidings of 735
Baptists, the largest number ever
reported in one year. Our home
board reports 13,295 additions by bap-
tism and otherwise.

The work of our Mission Board is
growing larger all the while. Great-
er responsibilities are upon us, hence
we urge our pastors and churches to
greater activity in this noble work.

J. L. WAKE,

Secretary of the Board.

Spoons Free to All.

I read in the Christian Standard
that Miss A. M. Fritz, Station A, St.
Louis, Mo., would give an elegant
plated hook spoon to any one sending
her ten two-cent stamps. I sent for
and found it so useful that I showed
it to my friends, and made \$13 in two
hours, taking orders for the spoon.

The hook spoon is a household neces-
sity. It cannot slip into the dish or
cooking vessel, being held in place by
a hook on the back. The spoon is
something housekeepers have needed
ever since spoons were first invented.
Any one can get a simple spoon by
sending ten 2-cent stamps to Miss
Fritz. This is a splendid way to make
money around home.

Very Truly,

JEANETTE S.

The Wheat market has shown a lit-
tle more steadiness, with occasional
periods of positive firmness. Crop re-
ports from the west have not been so
uniformly favorable, as this has had
a slightly steady effect. The time
is now at hand for a building up of
public stocks, yet exports of wheat and
flour are fairly good. The Chicago
Trade Bulletin estimates aggregate
supplies of breadstuffs in Europe,
afloat, and in store in U. S., and Canada
July 1 equal to 137,455,000 bushels,
or 22,576,000 less than reported at this
time last year. Trade conditions
throughout the country are exerting
an influence on wheat as well as other
commodities, including the product of
manufacturers. So far as actual
movement of wheat is concerned, it is
moderate, but not large. The new
crop is moving slowly, little of it ap-
pearing in the big distributing cities,
and old spring wheat in the northwest
has shown a decreased movement.
Corn remains easy under prospect of
another immense crop, while oats are
firmer, owing to reports of unpreced-
tutated yield in some of the most impor-
tant states—American Agricultural

DISTRICT NO. 2.

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rs, and twenty of the Democratic
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Hicks, of Pittsfield, for Auditor; J. F.
Back, of Olney, the Democratic nomi-
nee, resigning. The remainder of the
Democratic State ticket was nominated
—Cour. Journal.

The Mansfield Carriage Co. will offer
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consisting of Surrey, Phaeton,
Buggies and Carts, regardless of price
when you're in town call and see our
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RECEPTION OF MR. LI.

Arrangements Progressing Under
the Management of Ex-Sec-
retary John W. Foster.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Arrange-
ments are progressing for the re-
ception of Li Hung Chang when he
arrives in this country on the 28th
inst. The Chinese Minister and
his suite will go to New York to
receive the Earl, by which title Li
is known among the countrymen of
rank. Ex-Secretary John W. Fos-
ter, who is now in the Adirondacks,
will be in the 20th to make preliminary
arrangements and will return there on the 27th
to take part in the reception. Be-
sides the visits to Washington and
Philadelphia which Li will make,
have his trip extended to Boston,
where a reception will be given
him. The first arrangements were
such as to make the Boston visit
impossible, but it is felt among the
officials here that after his arrival
some changes will be made so as to
permit the Boston visit.

Gen. Miles and others, representing
various branches of the Government,
will confer with the Chinese Minister
here as to the arrangements
for the reception.

It is probable an officer of the
army and one from the navy will be
assigned to meet the Chinese
statesman and accompany him on
his trip. It is probable also, that
a detail of troops from Governor's
Island will take part in the reception
at New York and that a troop of
cavalry from Fort Myer will assist
in the exercises here.

At first it was intended to rent
an entire house in Washington and
equip it for the accommodation of
the Earl and his numerous suite,
which embraces twelve secretaries
and many servants. Owing, how-
ever, to the shortness of the stay
here it has been decided to quarter
the guest at a hotel.

Li Hung Chang is one of the
six richest men in the world.

Made the Fusion Complete.

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Robert Marshall, Clerk.

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lan Knox, Judges; James Maupin,
Sheriff; Thomas Barrow, Clerk.

Precinct C.—James Cockram, J. D.
Stevens, Judge; A. W. Flecklin, Sher-
iff; A. M. Bedford, Clerk.

Clover and Eggs.

Clover is as much an egg producing
material as it is a producer of milk. It
is rich in nitrogen and mineral matter,
providing the hens with substances
that are derived from it in forms most
suitable for the purpose desired.
Lime is an essential substance in the
production of eggs, and there are some
who use oyster shells for supplying
the hens with lime, but clover
contains lime in a soluble form and ready
for use. The various grains are defi-
cient in lime, and when the poultry
receive no food but grain it is imposs-
ible for the hens to lay. When
the hens lay regularly, the carbonaceous
matter is appropriated by the eggs
and if the hens do not lay, they become
fat and remain in a condition which
brings on a disease.

Clover, by discharging grana, sup-
plies the hens with substances which
are lacking in grain, and also bulk
food for heating.

When the hens have the use of a
large clover field they should lay a
large number of eggs during the
whole season.—Poultry Keeper.

A POPULIST'S

Answer to Bishop Newman of
the Methodist Church.

Bishop John P. Newman, of the
Methodist Church, appears to have
entered the political china shop with
the usual effect of the traditional bill,
he is credited with declaring in an
address at San Francisco that the
Populists of this country are no better
than anarchists and lack the elements
of good American citizenship, and his
speech has called forth indignant pro-
tests from many sections of the coun-
try. George W. Washburne, of Bos-
ton, member of the Populist National
Executive Committee, himself a de-
voted member of the Methodist Church,
in an open letter to the Bishop com-
munist, says: "Let me inform you that
90 per cent of the Populist party are
native born American citizens, comprising
mostly the sturdy farming element,
which for years the statesmen
of both old parties proudly alluded to
as the 'bone, sinew and stability of
the country.' These men are intelligent,
patriotic and true, and now are
called anarchists because they have
begun to think; and the result of
their thinking will be a surprise party
next November. Again, there were
more delegates in our convention than
those who owned their own homes and paid tax-
es than in that of any other political party.
Lastly, the leading anarchist
Herr Most, is for the gold standard
and the Republican party, and I defy
you to name one in our ranks as au-
tomatic."

Election Officers for the Ensuing
Year.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

Precinct A.—J. R. Sharp, W. H. II.
Miller, Judges; A. H. Judy, Sheriff;
E. W. Bair, Clerk.

Precinct B.—W. Burton, W. H.
Strossman, Judges; O. E. Lyons,
Sheriff; M. Mathews, Clerk.

Precinct C.—L. T. Chiles, Harry
Campbell, Sr., Judges; J. P. Game,
Sheriff; W. P. Oldham, Clerk.

Precinct D.—W. P. Apperson, Fred
Seuler, Judges; Jake Heury, Sheriff;
E. W. Miller, Clerk.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Precinct A.—Bingham Anderson,
Judson McDaniel, Judges; James
Williams, Sheriff; James B. Clarke,
Clerk.

Precinct B.—D. G. Howell, J. D.
Gay, Judges; Parker Lyman, Sheriff;
A. W. Storer, Clerk.

Precinct C.—T. W. Parson, Ellis
Dean, Judges; H. J. Daniel, Sheriff;
Juo. Woodcock, Clerk.

Precinct D.—Samuel Recraft, H. H.
Wilson, Judges; Kaler Wilson, Sheriff;
Robert Marshall, Clerk.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Precinct A.—Henry Fortune, W. P.
Drake, Judges; H. C. Leiford, Sheriff;
D. N. F. Pierce, Clerk.

Precinct B.—M. H. Lewis, Dr. N. T.
Clarke, Judges; William Dennis,
Sheriff; G. T. Fox, Clerk.

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY (In Kentucky)

SHORTEST ROUTE

Between—

Louisville and Lexington.

Schedule in Effect May 10, 1896.

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Westbound. No. 3. No. 4. No. 5.

Live Cincinnati..... 8 11 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 8 45 p.m.

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Live Frankfort..... 8 35 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Lexington..... 8 40 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Maysville..... 8 45 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Prestonsburg..... 8 50 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Ashland..... 8 55 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Paducah..... 8 58 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

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Live Lexington..... 9 50 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Frankfort..... 9 55 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Lexington..... 10 00 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Louisville & Nashville R. R.

(KENTUCKY CENTRAL DIV.)

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Live Maysville..... 9 30 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Prestonsburg..... 9 35 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

Live Ashland..... 9 40 a.m. 7 45 p.m. 7 45 p.m.

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 of Nebraska.

Vice-President of the United States.

ARTHUR SEWALL,
 of Maine.

Congressional.

For Congressman, Tenth District,
 T. V. FITZPATRICK,
 of Floyd County,

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Circuit Judge.

We are authorized to announce
 JUDGE B. F. DAY,
 as a candidate for Circuit Court Judges of this district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
 M. S. TYLER,

as a candidate for Circuit Court Judge of this district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
 C. W. NESEHIT,

of Barth County, a candidate for Circuit Court Judge in the Jennings District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For Commonwealth's Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
 J. H. WILLIAMS,
 of Monroe, as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 21st Judicial District, composed of the counties of Monroe, Morgan, Madison and Brown, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
 W. L. YOUNG,

of Brown, as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 21st Judicial District, Brown, Monroe, Montgomery and Rutherford. Mr. Young takes no claims to the action of the Democratic party.

For Circuit Clerk.

We are authorized to announce
 NEWTON E. BRIGHT

as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

County Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce
 J. L. HAINLINE

as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
 H. C. GILLISPIE,

as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
 EUGERT G. COONS

as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

City Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
 JOHN H. PHIPPS

as a candidate for City Attorney of the city of Mt. Sterling, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce
 W. T. STORLEY

As a candidate for Jailer of Montgomery County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For County Assessor.

We are authorized to announce
 W. F. BYRD

as a candidate for Assessor of this county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The honest payment of our debts and the sacred preservation of the public faith.—Thomas Jefferson.

"Democrats, remember the regular nominees of your party (W. J. Bryan) and cast your vote accordingly in November."

Mr. Bryan has decided to make a number of speeches in New York. He will go first to Albany, and thence to Buffalo, speaking at all the larger towns along the way.

W. J. Bryan is still in New York State, and is having a pleasant time making impromptu speeches to the farmers and laborers along the banks of the Hudson. He is received with the greatest of enthusiasm everywhere he goes. It does look now as if the Western "Sou" will shine supremely in the Capitol City for the next four years.

Japan Buying American Rails.

The announcement was made the other day that an agent of a Japanese firm had placed an order for 9,000 tons of steel rails with the Carnegie Company. The contract was entered into in competition with English rail mills, bids have been invited by Great Britain and this country by Mitell & Co., who had charge of the purchase. The price is not stated, but as freight rates from Pittsburg to Japan are higher than from England, the Carnegie Company must have considerably underbid their European competitors.

We mention this here not only as a further proof of our contention that there is neither justice nor policy in making American railroads pay \$28 a ton for rails that cost about \$1825 to make, but also as indicating that a profitable trade may be opened up with Asia by our iron and steel manufacturers. This is the third large order for rails which has been placed in this country by Japanese agents within the past few months. The Carnegie Company got one of the first and the Illinois Steel Company the other, each being for 10,000 tons. Mitsubishi & Co. have opened in New York, and it is not likely they would have done this unless they expected to extend their transactions. This company is one of the largest in Asia, having branches at Tokio, Yokohama, Osaka, Koko, Haga, Shimonoseki, Nagasaki, Kuchinozaki, Hakodate, Shanghai and other cities in India and China and a branch in London.

Another circumstance which bears out the theory that we may build up a profitable business is the fact that the Japanese Government has sent its Chief Railroad Inspector, Mr. Matsumoto, to this country to ascertain if it will not be better to change the Japanese roads from narrow to broad gauge at once. There are now three large railway systems which are virtually controlled by the Government and a change of the gauge would mean that in addition to a rapid extension of railways there would be a great deal of old material replaced by new. American locomotives have been sold at a considerable extent in Japan, and the way has been opened for the marketing of all sorts of railway appliances.

The industrial development of any country ought not to frightened such a great manufacturing nation as this. In reality it is encouraging, for it means increased consumption of power and makes possible a large trade. The silliness that was displayed a few months ago by manufacturers and legislators who went into convocation over the prospect of Japanese competition is now dying out.

No doubt so called National Democrats desire to be popular. Judging by the past political conventions during this year, these misguided but no doubt sincere gentlemen can in some way arrange a split at their National Convention. In this section of the country we hear much said by gold Democrats counseling bolters, anarchists, revolutionists.

Unless they in their conventions act wisely and cautiously, they may have to submit to the discouragement, if not humiliation, of seeing a large part of their supposed adherents advocate extreme views on the financial question. Senator Hill has intimated that the "affre and unlimited coinage of silver" sentiment will sweep the country in 1896. The sweeping will soon be finished; so far, the work has been pretty thoroughly done.

If the leaders of the Third Party are forced to regard even a raw of their followers as bolters, anarchists and revolutionists, because of a refusal to accept the dictates or demands of Eastern capitalists, bankers and protected manufacturers, these leaders will, we think, feel rather lousome, so few and far between will they be in this section—say in this county or congressional district. However, men are not to advocate a cause because it is popular, but because it is right or conducive to the greatest good of the masses of a country or state or nation.

An imported gentleman in a public speech here recently, referred to W. J. Bryan as a spinholder and said he did not know what that meant unless he was able to string out words as long as from Mt. Sterling to Winchester without making an argument. This same gentleman said that Mr. Bryan in his Madison Square Garden speech did not make a point unless it was that the government, by putting its stamp upon grains of silver, making it worth a dollar in gold. Such utterances will cause many to question either the intelligence or sincerity of the speaker. Come again.

When in religion, politics or business, men, in order to sustain their cause, resort to stale statements or illustrations, they reveal to the public either their embarrassing surroundings or a degenerate and corrupt nature. Under ordinary circumstances you may be on your guard against men or women who vilify or insult against others. Many persons having many admirable traits are often led into the above fault. Watchfulness along this line should be our desire.

Why Because

Do people buy Hood's Sarsaparilla in preference to any other—in fact almost to the exclusion of all others?

REV. EVERETTE GILL

Seriously ill at the home of Mr. C. P. Benson in Charlottesville, Va.

On the 11 inst. Rev. Everett Gill, pastor of Baptist Church this city, left here for a ten day's vacation. He had not been well for several days but felt much better upon his departure. He went to Hampton, Va., where he was again taken sick, but got very much better and hoped to be well in a few days. On last Thursday he was taken violently ill and wired to his mother-in-law, who was visiting in Charlottesville, Va., to have her daughter, Miss Kalle, meet him at the train and accompany him home, but when he arrived he was in such a condition that he was taken to Mr. C. P. Benson's residence, and a physician was summoned. Mr. Gill was found to be in a very precarious condition and it was feared he could not live until morning. Mrs. Gill was wired at this place and left on the first train Thursday, arriving in Charlottesville Friday at noon. Mr. Gill had been operated on for appendicitis when she arrived and was resting comfortably. His friends here have been in daily communication with Mrs. Gill, and at this writing he is getting along as well as could be expected. The serious condition of Mr. Gill has elicited the deepest sympathy of his congregation and many friends. Deacons of his church wired words of sympathy and placed themselves at Mrs. Gill's command. A deep feeling of sympathy pervades the entire city and many have been the petitions for his recovery. Special prayer meetings were set apart at the Baptist Church, and so intense was the sympathy that brethren were overcome by emotion, and only God knew the prevailing distress of their hearts. Mr. Gill is loved by all who know him, and never will he be able to know how he is appreciated here. The prayers of all Christian people are for his speedy recovery and restoration to his family and church.

Mr. Hanna had hoped to have the single standard party to endorse Mr. McKinley at Indianapolis with the assurance that the tariff question would go undisturbed, but this attack on the part of Mr. McKinley will cause such a disturbance that an action will be impossible. Mr. McKinley's position is clearly defined on the tariff but badly mixed on the money question, hence he proposes, If he can, to make the tariff question pass to all others. The Major will find he has a stubborn people to deal with and that the money question will not down. "Where is he at?"

WHAT ABOUT MCKINLEY?

Where Does He Stand?

In 1892 Mr. McKinley both by declaration and record voted one on the money question and one day by an adopted platform of a majority in the St. Louis Republican convention he changes front. What is he and "where is he at" is the question and to all appearances with Mr. McKinley himself. The major may speak out on the money question, he has dared in opposition to Boss Hanna to publicly take the hit in his teeth and in no uncertain tones on the tariff question, alike denounces the Democratic administration, Cleveland, Carlisle and others and the Democratic party as well. He now stands squarely against the Democratic party and the single standard party.

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Louisville Convention.

The Gold Democratic Convention held in Louisville on the 20th is said to have been very enthusiastic and harmonious. The principle speeches were made by W. C. Breckinridge and S. B. Buckner. The four delegates from the State at large to the Indianapolis Convention are S. B. Buckner, W. C. Breckinridge, Wilbur F. Browder, and A. J. Carroll. Two delegates were appointed from each Congressional district. The Tenth district was not so well represented as other districts. The mention of Cleveland and Carlisle called forth much applause. Thirty-three counties were without representation and the great enthusiasm came from Main street merchants and their clerks.

What is new we have been hearing about anarchists, revolutionists and traitors? We feel sorry for those men who are so glib of tongue in calling Democrats anarchists because Eastern capitalists, bankers and protected manufacturers, these leaders will, we think, feel rather lousome, so few and far between will they be in this section—say in this county or congressional district. However, men are not to advocate a cause because it is popular, but because it is right or conducive to the greatest good of the masses of a country or state or nation.

In Scott county on Saturday, August 13, the second local option election occurred. The saloon men were defeated by a majority of 740. The saloon's man's great enemy,

Ten cents worth of Dr. Daniels Colic Cure will cure any case of colic in any horse. Tipton's druggist, if

The S. S. Union Convention.

Each member of the Union Convention is entitled to one representative for 100 pupils or fraction thereof, and the county to five delegates at large. The schools will please select delegations on Sunday evening, when they get together from Rev. B. W. Moore, which will entitle them to a place at the convention at large, Rev. A. J. Arrick, Miss Mary Anderson, W. P. Dickey and Miss Minnie Groves. I hope as many as possible will attend this convention, which meets at Owensboro, Ky., August 31.

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Did it ever occur to you that the temptation to make cutting remarks to and about people is not always resisted.

The announcement, of James P. Cassidy for Commonwealth attorney of this district will appear in the ADVOCATE next week.

Mrs. W. H. Bush and family will soon move to Kansas City, Mo. They will sell their household effects on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Trolley excursions are now popular at Lexington. It is a pleasant sight to see the cars brilliantly lighted in various colors and filled with the merry crowds.

Ex-County Judge George F. Lee, of Boyle county, died on Friday night, aged 76. He was the father of Mrs. L. S. McElroy, who is well known here.

Judge Jas. P. Tarvin, of Covington, spoke at the Court House Monday night. His speech was bristling with argument, showing why this country should be for both silver and gold on the same basis. He was not by a good crowd.

An excursionist was here Sunday eveute for Ashland, a citizen said to him, "What are you carrying that basket around with you with a family clock in it?" "It was on one of them excursions before and got left and I don't propose to do that way any more," was the reply.

Electric Bitters.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Faunie has been visiting Miss Lizzie Stoops for some days.

Mr. J. Green Trimble, Sr., is attending the fair at Hazel Green this week.

Mr. W. M. Taylor, of Henry county, was in the city last week on business.

Mrs. E. J. Reid is at Dr. Johnson's in Cincinnati for medical treatment.

Chas. Duty and family are housekeeping in Mrs. Kate Brown's residence.

Miss Bartlett, who has been visiting Miss Carrie Anderson, has returned home.

Misses May and Elizabeth Hutton, of Cincinnati, are visiting Miss Anna Johnson.

Mrs. Amanda Tipton will probably be able to come home from Cincinnati this week.

Misses Bernice and Effie Doyle, of Bloomington, Ill., are visiting Mrs. W. A. Sutton.

Miss Mary O'Quinnsherry has returned from a several weeks visit to relatives in Clark county.

Mrs. Nora Blackerby and Miss Jeanie Lillard, of Versailles, visited friends from Friday till Monday.

Miss Gussie Punch has returned from Paris, where she has been visiting the Misses O'Connell.

Judge James H. Hazelton and family, who spent the summer vacation here, returned to-day to Frankfort.

Miss Nota McCravy, of North Middletown, was the pleasant guest of Miss Pearl Lane several days past.

William VanAntwerp, Jr., has returned from Lake Geneva, where he has been attending Summer Training School.

Misses Frankie Cheatham and little nephew, Master Eugene Thomson, are visiting friends and relatives in Lexington and Frankfort.

M. M. Cassidy, Mrs. Stella Crookell, Bruce W. Trimble and wife attended the State Misionary Convention at Georgetown.

Miss Ida Hardman, of Wade's Mill, will be the pleasant and attractive guest of Misses Nancye and Julia Turnley this week.

Miss Nelle Hynson, a handsome and attractive young lady, of Covington, is the pleasant guest of R. R. Whitlatt and family near Levee.

Miss Beatrice White, of Chicago, Ill., a very interesting and pleasant young lady, is with Mr. Zach Tarley and wife visiting friends and relatives in the city and county. At present they are at the beautiful country home of Mr. Samuel Tarley. They intend going to Bourbon county this week to spend a few days with relatives.

At Owensboro Third Baptist Church has been organized with 521 constituent members. Rev. Fred. D. Hale was unanimously elected pastor at a salary of \$2500.

This organization will worship for the present in the large auditorium of the Court House. A new building will be erected at once at a cost of \$25,000, and will be on the tabernacle style; \$18,500 was subscribed for this building on the day. The cause of the organization of this church was Rev. Fred. D. Hale's refusal to tolerate whiskey-selling members in fellowship.

The McBrayer Distilling Co. has been doing considerable business the past week. They shipped last week 20 barrels of the celebrated McBrayer whiskey to the City of Mexico, and Monday 20 barrels to Denver, Colo., and 20 to St. Paul, Minn.

Thos. S. Chenault, Jr., and Miss Laura Walker, both of Richmond, will soon be married. Miss Walker is a daughter of J. Stone Walker, president of Second National Bank at that place.

Farm For Sale.
I offer for sale my farm of 45 acres adjoining town, upon which are many beautiful sites for residences. Will divide it in lots to suit purchasers.
5-21 J. G. TRIMBLE.

The ladies of the Corinth Church at Stepleton, will give an ice cream supper on the evening of September 4, at their church building.

Christian Endeavor Notes.

The Christian Endeavor Echo Meeting at the First Presbyterian Church Friday evening was the best meeting the society has ever held in the county. The Endeavorers were very fortunate in having a number of the prominent state workers with them. Mrs. Ellis, the author of the State song, made an interesting and pleasing address on "The promises of the Washington Convention for the future." She saw in it great promise of spirituality for the future because of the spiritual power manifested there. The patriotic meeting of 75,000 there the capitol steps promised patriotic citizens from the mighty host of young people. The attention given to Bible study in the convention gave promise of a better understanding of God's word and a more faithful following of its teachings. Mr. Hugh Boardman, Mrs. A. J. Arrell, and Miss Pearl Bruton each had interesting accounts to give of what they saw and what impressed them most. There reports brought out the fact that there are varied impressions for good made by these international conventions. Master John De Ellis, a youth of nine years, in an original paper, gave many good reasons for the junior society and demonstrated that they were doing good work.

The State President spoke on the influence of these conventions on State work. Rev. A. J. Arrell told of the spiritual of the convention. These addresses were interspersed with songs which were sung at the convention at Washington.

When the programme was completed the President called on Mr. Fred Wallis who was present, for a few words, the hour was late and he only spoke a few moments, telling of his interest in Christian Endeavor work.

NOTES.
"I never saw such hospitality," said Judge Ellis and wife.

"It will help your work here very much," said Mr. Wallis.

Mr. Fred Wallis was in the city to attend the meeting of the Districting Committee.

The consecration service as reported by Miss Bruton must have been a grand service.

"It was the best Echo Meeting I ever attended," remarked one of those who was from a distance.

The District and Extension Committees held a meeting Friday afternoon to discuss plans for next year.

Mr. Nora Blackerby, the Secretary of the Extension Committee, spent several days in the city visiting friends.

One of the most interesting features of the rally was the leading of the choir in the song, "Let a Little Sunshine In," by Master John De Ellis.

Of course Endeavorers always pay their street car fare, even though the conductor does not get around in time to receive it. Nevertheless the impression it made on the Washington people gave an item for one of the speakers.

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Grassy Lick.

Mrs. O. S. Brumlinger visited relatives in Fleming last week.

Stock hogs are selling at 3 cents, and stock sheep at 2½ cents.

J. N. Mason sold John Embry 40 fat cattle at \$3.90. Average 1500.

D. G. Howell and son, Willie, attended the soldiers' re-union last week at Salt Lick.

Mrs. M. B. Hadden and J. Staples are both reported as being quite sick with flux.

T. C. Graves sold to Greene, Lyman & Oscar 33 fat cattle at 4 cents. Average 1475.

J. C. Ramsey and wife, of Winchester, were visiting relatives in this neighborhood last week.

Mr. Jerry Rogers, wife and children, of Lexington, were visiting the families of D. G. and Clayton Howell last week.

Greene, Lyman and Oscar shipped a load of extra cattle and a double deck of sheep to Cincinnati last week and report dull market.

Farmers are kept quite busy fighting worms and cutting tobacco, and all are complaining of barn room running short this season.

Clayton Howell, Jas. Gay, M. G. Ferguson and D. L. Smith attended the Cincinnati tobacco market last week and report low market.

Prof. W. S. Spener, of Winchester, was in the neighborhood last week in the interest of K. W. College and secured several pupils who will attend his college.

Died on last Wednesday, August 19, Mrs. Isa Laughlin, aged 24 years. She was the daughter of James Fletcher, and had been married three years. She leaves a husband and two small children, the youngest but three weeks old. Her remains were buried in the family burial ground. Funeral was presided over by Rev. Savage, of N. M. Town. She was a member of the Grassy Lick Church. The family have the sympathy of many sorrowing friends.

Dr. J. J. Johnston, on account of sickness, was unable to fill his regular appointment at Grassy Lick Church on last Sunday. Elder B. W. Trimble, of the ADVOCATE, kindly consented to preach for Dr. Johnston and gave the congregation a most excellent sermon. Everybody uniting in extending many thanks to Bro. Trimble for his kindness. This is the first opportunity many of our people have had to hear him preach, and they say as if he belonged to the Kentucky Conference a large petition would be sent to the Bishop to send him to Grassy Lick. As he is not likely to be sent here from the Conference, we ask him to come and see us again.

On last Wednesday morning, August 19, between the hours of three and five, on the farm of John and Frank Blount in this neighborhood, a most heinous crime was committed by some unknown persons, who went on their premises and poisoned one horse and one work mule, both valuable animals, by giving them arsenic. The horse was found dead in the yard and the mule just over the fence in a lot. Mr. Blount says that he had occasion to be up at 3 o'clock and the horse was grazing near his front porch, and at 5 o'clock when he got up he found the horse and the mule dead. There is a good deal of excitement in the neighborhood over the occurrence, and if the guilty parties are found out Governor Bradley would never have the opportunity of turning them loose on this people, as he has done with the parties who poisoned two of its citizens several years ago.

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Dr. Miles' Remedies Restore Health

Base Ball Gossip.

The Mt. Sterling club disbanded last Wednesday and organized again on the same day with new players, and we should now hope for an equal standing with the other clubs in the Blue Grass League. We have been suffering defeat after defeat until our people have grown tired of going to see "ten-a-like" ball games. The organization effected last Wednesday is all right, and with the new players secured, the base ball players should settle in letting loose of a twenty-five cent piece to see them play. Of course we need not expect to see gilt-edge ball in every game, but on an average we may expect to see professional ball. Let every one encourage the new organization, and thereby keep the ball rolling the remainder of the season.

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There is one thing that should not be overlooked in a base ball game and that is for everyone to retain proper respect for the umpire. It is almost a universal pest, even in the big leagues, that the umpire receives more uncalled for, unjust criticism than should be indulged in by those who attend ball games. If they should undertake the job of upholding a game of ball then they would find that there are some things in this world much easier and more delightful. An umpire never called a ball, strike, or declared a man safe or out that did not bring upon him a volume of abuse. To add to it, it is the delight of players to question all these decisions, and in language that would bring a blush to the cheek of Her Majesty could she hear the ruthless manner in which her English is used. All this has a degrading effect on the game. There is not an umpire, who has any principle over all who would deliberately foul a ball. An umpire is employed to do his duty, and with some exceptions, base ball history does not tell us that any umpire who draws a salary for his work has ever been found guilty of favoritism with any thought of pecuniary gain. They are but human and are subject to the same frailties of human nature as any one else. Of course they make mistakes, but they should be overlooked, or base ball will sink to that level where all respectable people will refrain from attending, and it will be converted into a prize-fight, to which it is now almost akin, the people who attend the games at fair park do not buckle up their hips and discard that obsolete habit of sticking on every decision Mr. Lincoln's ganders. Base ball is a high-toned scientific game, and all should join in holding it up to the high place it deserves.

Gone to the Mountains.

Dr. J. A. Shirley and family left, yesterday, for a month's stay at Torts. Dr. Shirley, as many of his friends know, is a sufferer from hay fever and the disease attacked him with such violence this summer, that he is compelled to ask the indulgence of his patients, while he goes off to find a much needed relief from his troublesome affection. We hope the doctor, Mrs. Shirley and the girls will enjoy their stay at their mountain

READ IT!**Gen. W. P. St. John On the Effect of a Restoration of Silver to Its Place in the Mints.**

The following is an extract from the speech of Mr. W. P. St. John, before the Silver men at St. Louis. Mr. St. John, be it remembered, is a New York bank president; but he is more. He is a patriotic citizen who is looking out for the good of the whole country. Mr. St. John said:

Assuming that you will prevail, upon those patriots calling themselves the People's party to endorse the nomination of Bryan and Sewall, it is advisable to warrant the desirability of the end in view. It is among the first principles in finance that the value of each dollar, expressed in prices, depends upon the total number of dollars in circulation. The plane of prices is high when the number of dollars in circulation is great in proportion to the number of things to be exchanged by means of dollars, and low when the dollars are proportionally few. The plane of prices at present and for some time past is and has been relatively low. The increase of our population at about two millions a year, scattered over our immense territory calls for increasing exchanges and thereby demands an increasing number of dollars in circulation. The increase in the number of dollars when dollars are confined to gold is not sufficiently rapid to meet the growth of our exchanges. The consequence is a growing value of dollars or a diminishing value of everything else expressed in dollars; which is to say, a tendency toward constantly declining prices.

The fountain-head of prosperity has run dry. Our farmers all over the country have endured the depression in prices until they get about \$8 or \$9 per acre for an expenditure of \$10 per acre and the like. Their credit is exhausted at their country stores. The country store ceases to order from the city merchant, the city merchant reduces his demand upon the manufacturers. Manufacturers are curtailed. The consequence is that wages are lowered to those who continue in employment. The suffering of the farmers, who constitute nearly one-half of our population, is thus enforced upon the city merchant, the manufacturer, and all forms of labor. These combined elements constitute the overwhelming majority of voters. Their intelligent conclusion will be felt when expressed at the polls. The banker also is without prosperity unless prosperity is general throughout the United States. He must learn to distinguish between cheap money and money commanding a low rate of interest. The dollar worth two bushels of wheat is a dear dollar, and yet it commands interest in Wall street at present of but two percent, per annum on call. If the dollar can be cheapened by increasing the number of dollars so that each dollar will buy less wheat, the increasing price of wheat will increase the demand for dollars to invest in its production. Then the borrower of dollars to invest in the production of wheat being reasonably sure of a profit from that employment of the money, can afford to pay interest for its use as a part of his profit. In other words, interest is a share of the profit on the employment of money. So that abundant money, money readily obtainable, which is to say really cheap money, is the money which commands a high rate of interest, as a share of the profit of the borrower using it.

As we appeal to the country, in justice of our cause, one or two points of common inquiry must be satisfied as follows. The experience of Mexico is held up for our alarm. We answer, first, that Mexico is conspicuously prosperous at home. Her increase in manufactures, railway construction, and the like in recent years is phenomenal. Second, Mexico is no criterion for the United States, for the reason she has foreign trade indebtedness of about \$20,000,000 annually in excess of the value of her exports of cotton, sugar, coffee, hides, and like, which must be paid for in the surplus product of her mines. Her silver, therefore, goes abroad as merchandise at a valuation fixed by the outside world. The United States, on the other hand, is a nation of 70,000,000 people, scattered over a territory 17 times the area of France. A single one of our railway systems, the Erie, exceeds the aggregate railway

mileage of all Mexico. We offer an employment for money to an aggregate greater than the world's spare silver will furnish us. Hence our silver money, at home and abroad, will be valued as the money of the United States.

The opposition threatens us with a flood of Europe's silver upon our reopened mints. We answer, we have no silver but her silver money. Her silver money values silver at from three cents to seven cents on the dollar higher than ours. Hence the European merchant or banker must sacrifice from 3 to 7 percent, of his full legal-tender money in order to recoup us at our mints. Europe's silverware, like America's silverware, carries in it the additional value of labor and the manufacturer's profit. They threaten us with a flood of silver from the Far East. We answer that the course of silver is invariably eastward and never toward the West. British India is a perpetual sink of silver absorbing it, never to return, by from \$30,000,000 to \$60,000,000 worth every year. And India's absorption of silver will be enlarged by the steadiness of price for silver fixed by our reopened mints. They threaten us with a sudden retirement of \$600,000,000,000. They give me great relief from the beginning and have used them ever since. With pleasure, and unsolicited, I recommend to them to any and all suffering with like afflictions or either of them. Truly yours,

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Green Corn in Various Ways.**CORN AND TOMATOES.**

This is merely cut-off corn stewed with an equal quantity of tomatoes which have been peeled and sliced. Cook half an hour, then season with salt, pepper and a little sugar. Stir in a tablespoonful of butter and let simmer a few moments longer. Rather more elaborate is a

SCALLOP OF GREEN CORN AND TOMATOES.

With the grains of corn mix some fat pork chopped very fine, a minced shallot, pepper, salt and sugar. Put this mixture in a dish and over spread a layer of well-seasoned stewed tomato. On the top sift广播 bread crumbs and dot with butter. Cover the dish over and bake half an hour; then uncover and leave in the oven half an hour more.

CORN AND POTATOES.

Scrape the corn from 3 cold ears and boil it in salted water 10 minutes. Allow it to cool, and meanwhile chop 3 cold boiled potatoes into dice. When ready mix the vegetables together and season with pepper and salt. Heat some dripping very hot in a frying pan and turn in the potatoes and corn and, tossing them about with a fork, until thoroughly warmed through. Serve in a heated covered dish. This is a nice way to use up cold potatoe s and stoved corn that are left over.

CANNED CORN.

After removing the husks and silk, slice off half of the grains of corn with a sharp knife, and then scrape off what remains with the back of the blade; this is to prevent cutting into the cob. Fill each can about one-third full with the raw corn, and with a stick pack it well down. Put in more corn and pack again, continuing until the jar is full to the top. Lay on the rubber ring and screw on the cover very tight. In the bottom of a wash boiler place a thick cloth, and on this set the filled cans. Fill the boiler with cold water far above the jars. Set over the fire and boil eight hours. When taken out dry each top to see that it is secure. When cool wrap the cans in paper and be sure to put them away in the dark.

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It's better to go down in political defeat than to gain a victory (3) by resorting to debasing tactics.

Miss Margaret Wolverton, of Lexington, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. Clay McKeon, returned home Monday.

Judge J. P. Tarvin, of Covington, made a fine speech in Winchester Monday. The court house would not hold the crowd.

W. LaRue Thomas, Democratic candidate for Congress, will speak in Sharpburg next Saturday afternoon. He is a good one. Hear him, all ye who would see better times.

Mr. B. W. Trimble, of the Advocate, is attending the Hazel Green fair this week. We trust he will return with a list of several hundred new subscribers and as many renewals.

G. A. Reunion, Wm. Cartmell Post, No. 141, took possession of Midland City, last Thursday, and held it until Saturday, when an enjoyable meeting the members surrendered and retreated to their respective homes to await the next annual summons.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had children, she gave them Castoria.

Owing to the continued feeble condition of J. D. Haeseler, he will be unable to make his usual eastern trip for the purchase of goods. John C. Thompson, so long and favorably known in the dry goods business and who has for many years been connected with Mr. Haeseler as clerk, leaves to-morrow to make purchases.

One of the local papers said last week that W. W. Reed, dealer in hardware, was one of the delegates to the Single Standard Convention held in Louisville, and on its appearance, we had Mr. Reed interviewed, and he said, "I am a Democrat of the kind that will vote for Bryan and Sewall and did not attend that convention."

Prof. A. C. Fleishman, who for six years has been superintendent of the Winchester Public School, is conducting the Montgomery County Teachers' Institute which opened on yesterday. The Institute is being held in the City School Building. The sessions will continue five days, from 8:45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Prof. Fleishman will soon enter Chicago University to study Philosophy.

Christian Missions.

The 13th annual Convention of the Kentucky Christian Women's Board of Missions convened in Georgetown, on Monday night, Aug. 17th, and closed on Tuesday night. Mrs. W. S. Keene, of Winchester, presided. There were many present, and the proceedings were of unusual interest.

On Wednesday morning of the 27th annual Convention of the Kentucky Christian Missionary Convention was called to order by J. J. Hale, of Cynthiana. On behalf of the congregation Rev. C. A. Thomas delivered the welcome address. At present the church has no pastor.

The board made its annual report through the Rev. H. W. Elliott, of Sulphur, agent of the State work. He reported \$52,545 raised by the churches and Sunday schools, and \$2,930,000 raised in the field of four evangelists employed, or a total of \$12,154.99. There were 3,259 sermons preached, 4,793 day's work done, 1,951 assemblies gathered for the church; 353 places visited, 165 church officers appointed, thirteen prayer meetings started, twenty-three Sunday schools organized, forty-one preachers located and four new churches formed. Besides the work thus reported, the Christian church of Kentucky the past year gave to foreign missions \$14,051.03; to general home missions, \$2,982.04; to Orphans Home, Louisville, \$10,000; to the South Kentucky work, \$6,245.73; to the South Kentucky Board, \$4,006.80; to church extension work, \$2,353.15; to negro education, \$1,90, making a total of money raised for missions and other purposes, \$2,936.68. Special meetings were held at Ashland, Ludlow, Bardstown, Middleborough, Beattyville, Cynthopolis and Worthville, and special schools at Columbia, Corbin and Morehead.

The work of the year has suffered a slight decline, but with an improved financial outlook better things are expected in the year to come. Rev. W. M. Buckley, of Kansas City, the energetic secretary of the church extension fund, made a telling address and appealed for the cause he has pushed to such success that within a few years the fund has grown to \$124,000. This fund has been styled "The perpetual motion of money to aid weak churches in obtaining houses of worship." A touching speech was made by the Rev. John I. Rogers, of Bourbon county, the veteran evangelist, who, in spite of physical feebleness, retains all his old-time fire and mental vigor.

A. McLean, Secretary of Foreign Missions, who has just returned from a visit lasting a year to the missions in various parts of the world, rejoiced his hearers with an account of his trip, the work being accomplished, and the great achievements to be effected by the gospel.

Rev. Mark Collie, of Lexington, was chosen President for next year. The time for holding the convention has been changed to the third week in June. This is said to be the enthusiasm in Morgan county for the third week.

The conventions were held in the elegant and commodious new church The Christian people of Georgetown

DRY GOODS.

Heavy Brown Cotton, 4c per yard. Best Sheet Cotton, 4c per yard. Good Bleach Cotton, 4c per yard. One lot of Lawns to close out at 2c per yard. Remnants of Wash Goods at your own price. Good Crash Toweling at 2c per yard.

SHOES.

Infants' Shoes, 19c. Children's Shoes, 25c and up. Misses' and Children's Slippers below cost. Ladies' Slippers, 40c and up. Ladies' Kid Button Shoes, 80c. Men's Fine Shoes, 90c. Men's Pipe Shoes, 79c.

CLOTHING.

Boys' Knee Pants, 19c. Boys' Knee Suits, 79c. Youth's Suits, in all sizes, from \$1.19 up. Men's Suits as low as \$2.00. Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits, \$4.95.

MATTING.

WE CARRY THE LARGEST LINE IN THE CITY. Good Mattting at 8c per yard. Cotton Warp Mattting at 16c per yard. We have a lot of Remnants of Carpets which we will close out at most any price. We have a full line of Trunks and Telescopes.

We Have Made

Sweeping Reductions

In all departments, which enables you to

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were generous in hospitality. A. C. Davidson, President of Georgetown college, and his wife were very attentive to the representatives of Mt. Sterling Church. Persons who failed to attend the convention missed a pleasant and profitable experience.

Obituary.

Mary Alice, wife of Isaac P. Laughlin, Jr., and daughter of J. W. and Maria E. Fletcher, died at her home on Flax Lick, Bourbon county, on Friday from Friday morning, August 21, 1896. She was born on the 23rd day of January, 1872, and was 24 years, 2 months and 25 days old at the time of her death. She leaves a husband and two little boys, one two years and the other six weeks old. Father, mother, six brothers and two sisters are left to mourn her loss. She was the first of the family to be called away by him who knows best. She was a kind and loving wife and mother, an affectionate daughter, and devoted sister. She was gentle, kind, loving, sweet and affectionate and was held in the highest esteem by all who knew her. She was a member of the Grassy Lick Methodist Church. Her funeral was conducted at the Methodist Church at North Middleborough by Rev. Savage, from the 15th Chapel of St. John, after which she was followed by many sorrowing friends and laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at North Middleborough.

F. Ice Cream Made in a Minute.

I have an Ice Cream Freezer that will freeze cream perfectly in one minute, as it is such a wonder a crowd will always be around, so any one can make from five to six dollars a day selling cream, and from ten to twenty dollars selling freezers, as people will always buy an article when it is demonstrated that they can make money by so doing. The cream is frozen instantly and is smooth and free from lumps. I have done so well myself and have friends succeeding so well that I feel it my duty to let others know of this opportunity, as I feel confident that any person in any locality can make money, as any person can sell cream and the Freezer sells itself. F. C. Casy & Co., 1143 St. Charles St., St. Louis, Mo., will mail complete instructions and will employ you on salary if you can give them your whole time.

GEO. B. Let the minority be heard. We are informed by two sources that the gold Democrats of Morgan county assembled in convention, adopted resolutions and appointed a delegate to the great Louisville convention. The meeting was held in Jno. P. Salter's law office behind closed doors. The crowd managed to get in. There were not exceeding four men in the convention. Mr. Jno. P. Salter was appointed delegate and was in Louisville. Such is said to be the enthusiasm in Morgan county for the third week.

W. W. Reed has got the goods and wants to sell them. Don't go by his house.

SEASIDE EXCURSIONS

Over Picturesque Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. to Old Point Comfort.

The annual excursion from Kentucky to the seashore is announced for Wednesday, August 29th. The rate from Mt. Sterling, Ky., for the round trip, \$12.00 tickets, will be good going on either trains Two or Four, August 26th, and good returning until September 5th. Stop-overs will be granted at Richmond, Va., Clifton Forge, Va., Covington, Va., (Hot Springs) and White Sulphur Springs, on the return trip. This is the greatest excursion of the year. Take a dip in the sea and enjoy the fishing and sailing it offers.

SOLDIERS AWHEEL

Test of the Bicycle Being Made On Mountain Paths.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 19.—Lieut. Moss, of the Twenty-fifth United States Infantry, and eight soldiers, heavily accoutered and carrying four day's rations, covered the distance between Fort Missoula and Harrison, 132 miles, including the passage of Rocky Range, in twenty-two hours on bicycles. The heaviest wheel with pack and rider weighed 272 pounds, the lightest 208 pounds, average weight 240.

This is the first detachment put on the road by the United States Army to test the practicability of the bicycle as a machine for military purposes in a mountain country. The tour extended over 1,000 miles, including a round of the National Park and return to this point, a run to Fort Assiniboine, Northern Montana and back by way of Fort Harrison to Fort Missoula.

Lieut. Moss expects to show better wheel time than foot soldiers or troopers can make on a sustained march in the mountain region.

New Coal Firm.

We have bought the Indian Creek Coal Co.'s business in Mt. Sterling, on Sycamore street, on railroad, and have exclusive sale of their famous product. We have in stock and in transit, Indian Creek, Eureka, Pease Orchard and Davy's Run Coals, lump and nut.

Our prices will be lowest, our service best, and our terms cash, or thirty days. We can not give longer time than this to anybody, and owing to our limited capital, will not charge coal to anybody who is not responsible. Solleting your trade, we are respectfully,

DUTY & STEPHENSON.

NOTE.—72 pounds of coal make one bushel. All orders left at W. W. Reed's meat store will receive prompt attention.

Chenault & Punch have added a full line of boys' and men's hats to their extensive stock of ladies' children's and men's shoes.

A man's eternal destiny is effected by trivial dolings.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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HOT WATER HEATING,

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At Wholesale and Retail.

Notice to Contractors.
Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, at its next regular meeting, Sept. 1st, 1896, for the grading and extension of Holt Avenue, and Antwerp Avenue according to plans and specifications furnished by City Engineer, M. J. Goodwin. Separate bids required for each street.

Also sealed bids will be received for macadamizing the extension of Holt Avenue and Antwerp Avenue. Bids for each street to be separate; and separate bids for crushed, and napped stone.

Sealed bids will also be received for the contract of furnishing stone to the city for one year beginning Sept. 1st, 1896. Separate bids must be submitted for the crushed stone, napped or hand-broken stone, and the unbroken stone. The quality of stone proposed to be furnished must be specified in each bid. All stone to be weighed at the City scales.

Bids will also be received for street crossings for one year from Sept. 1st, 1896. Quality of stone must be specified. City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

For information regarding the grading and macadamizing of the streets named, application should be made to M. J. Goodwin, City Engineer. George W. Baird.

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City Clerk.

Big Four, to St. Paul.

On account of the Thirtieth Encampment G. A. R., at St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 1st, to 4th, the Big Four, consisting of the Central, Northern, Southern and Western railroads, will be open for travel from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily from stations on their lines. Tickets good going August 30 and 31 and September 1; good returning until Sept. 15, with privilege of extension until September 30, 1896. See nearest agent for particulars as to routes.

Bargain seekers that have cash to spend can do well by going to W. W. Reed's.

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Buckley's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no repair required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. S. Lloyd.

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